

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

1           **Claim 1 (currently amended):** A surveillance camera  
2       apparatus comprising:

3           a surveillance camera,  
4       a temporary storage means in the surveillance camera  
5       for recording a status amount of an operation of the  
6       surveillance camera at constant time intervals of a  
7       predetermined time span,

8           a storage means in the surveillance camera formed of  
9       a rewritable non-volatile memory for ~~storing~~ recording  
10      data, including operation history of the surveillance  
11      camera,

12           wherein the status amount recorded in said temporary  
13      storage means is recorded in said storage means as the  
14      operation history of the surveillance camera at constant  
15      time intervals of a predetermined time period which is  
16      longer than said predetermined time span.

1           **Claim 2 (previously amended):** A surveillance camera  
2       apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the storage means  
3       records an accumulated number of preset operations executed

4 during the predetermined time period as the operation  
5 history.

1       **Claim 3 (previously amended):** A surveillance camera  
2 apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the storage means  
3 records an accumulated number of automatic panning  
4 operations executed during the second predetermined time  
5 period as the operation history.

1       **Claim 4 (previously amended):** A surveillance camera  
2 apparatus according to claim 1, further comprising a power  
3 supply for supplying power to the surveillance camera  
4 wherein the storage means records an accumulated turn-on  
5 time of a power supply executed during the predetermined  
6 time period as the operation history.

1       **Claim 5 (previously amended):** A surveillance camera  
2 apparatus according to claim 1, further comprising a filter  
3 changing unit, wherein the storage means records an  
4 accumulated number of filter changing unit operations for  
5 changing a filter of the camera executed during the  
6 predetermined time period as the operation history.

1           **Claim 6 (previously amended):** A surveillance camera  
2   apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the storage means  
3   records an accumulated number of coordinate system  
4   resetting operations for resetting coordinate data of the  
5   camera executed during the predetermined time period as the  
6   operation history.

1           **Claim 7 (previously amended):** A surveillance camera  
2   apparatus according to claim 1, further comprising an  
3   internal temperature sensor for obtaining a temperature  
4   within the surveillance camera, wherein the storage means  
5   records a maximum temperature and a minimum temperature  
6   within the camera obtained during the predetermined time  
7   period as the operation history.

**Claims 8-11 (canceled)**